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Council meets next Monday night. Blanke & Bros. fine candies at P. O. store.

The electric light should be con-

tinued all night.

A new drop curtain is needed at the Opera House

Christmas turkey. The sale of seats for Mrs. Hands'

Concert is unprecedented. Capt. Shields is sturing up the

colored population in earnest.

Miss Mary Gorth, of this city, is Lacey says he is satisfied there is lots now playing in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ah There! colored sugar and small fancy candies, cakes, &c., at Easter's. We are informed that Dr. Baker will not go into the drug business in

Mexico again. co for \$2,000.

H. D. Hunter has contracted for rebuilding the Macfarlane-Baker buildings lately burned.

facturing Co." will have a deep hole in the ground by spring. We understand the C. & A. rail- breeding.

the Mexico Water-works Co. make a contract for all-night electric

salaries.

with full chorus.

The colored detective, "Rick-Shields meetings.

makes excellent music.

Lots of fun for the boys.

FOR RENT.-Farm of 100 acres, word. 31 miles northeast of Martinsburg to rent. Good freshland. Apply to J. S. Stephens on farm.

The Board of Trade of Mexico is doing a good work, and a good many new enterprises to benefit the town are set on foot-Fulton World.

Marriage licenses were issued Dec. 22d to the following named parties-R. Sappington and Eldors Wigginton; E. D. Rolseon and Sally Scott.

The "Keep It Dark" company appeared to a good audience at the Opera House last night. The company left for Louisiana at 12:30 to-

There will be a grand holiday hop for anything less than that. at Rucker's Opera House, Sturgeon, Mo., Monday night, Dec. 27, 1886. Music by Sturgeon string band. Admission \$1.

observed in Mexico this year. Besides belonged to John Eubanks, colored, the many private entertainments, and was insured for \$160 in the trees, etc., most of the churches will agency of Kilgore & Howell. remember their little ones.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will meet at the ing, Frank Armistead and Len Son, note. church at 1:30 p. m. Thursday, Dec. Barnes, two young men from the 22nd. All lady members of the Ghost District, were fined \$10.50 and McNama et al., note. church are invited to be present.

The ladies of the Christian church the town red. are earnestly requested to meet in the basement of their church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to perfect St. Louis & Pacific Ry's. will sell exarrangements in regard to the enter- cursion tickets Dec. 24th and 25th, tainment for the children Friday and December 31st and January 1st

week from to-day at the resi- for return up to an including Jan. 3, Mrs. M. A. Palmer. dence of Mrs. J. M. Marmaduke, on 1887. South Jefferson street, for the Mrs. Mary Botts and Rev. W. S. benefit of the M. E. Church, South. Trimble, of St. Joe, formerly of Mex Everybody invited.

E. Kendall, a leading farmer and Dec. 28th, 1886. stock raiser, near Rush Hill, died last The hair is frequently rendered the sympathy of the public.

HORSE TALK.

Mexico and Audrain County to the Directors Elected-Charter to be Ap-Front-Some Flyers Wintering at the Fair Grounds.

Mexico and Audrain county are A majority of the stockholders of becoming famous all over Missouri the "Mexico Mining and Manufacand the West for finely bred horses turing Co." was present at the meet-LAKENAN & BARNES, financial cor- of every kind. We have trotters, ing of that organization on Saturday respondents of Eastern capitalists, have unlimited capital to loan for 5 to 7 years runners, saddle, draft and coach evening last, at the Court House. The time at a low rate of interest on farms in horses which can not be beaten in the object of the meeting was to organ-Audrain and the pleas ize, elect directors, draft by-laws, etc. We also loan home money on very ure last week of visiting the Fair J. F. Llewellyn become temporary call on us and we will give you terms that Grounds with our friend, G. Lacey chairman, and J. A. Glandon temporwho is one of the most experienced ary secretary. A great many of those LAKENAN & BARNES, horse trainers in the world. Lacey interested were at sea regarding the has had forty years experience, has way to proceed with the organizabeen around the world several times, tion. The majority, however, wantand has been connected with the best ed to go to work at once, and not On real estate, in sums to suit from stables of horses in the world. He leave the house until the "Mexico \$500 to \$20,000 on new aplan Parties now has charge of ten promising Mining and Manufacturing Co." had wishing to borrow money will find it horses at the Fair Grounds. His stalassumed definite shape. Messrs. to their interest to consult us For bles are large and roomy and be Hitt, Robertson and a few others keeps them looking like a parlor. opposed any rush, explaining that it More comfortable quarters for horses was best to proceed slowly but sure-Mexico, Mo. we never saw and the neatness dis- ly. Upon motion, it was decided not played in everything speaks for to delay the matter, and the scere-W. H. Woodward & Son of Mex- worlds for Lacey and his employes, tary was instructed to call the names ice. Mo., have an unlimited amount Among the horses under Lacey's of the stockholders, and as the names of Money to loan on improved farms charge we noticed Woodford, by were announced for them to come up

in Missouri and Kansas at the low- Woodford Knox, owned by William and sign the articles of agreement. est rates of interest. Money furn- Coons. Woodford is an elegant 6- Upon motion of J. A. Potts, Fenley ished on day of application, when year-old gentleman's roadster and Bryan, notary public, was appointed goes 2:50 to a road wagon any time. to swear the signers, as is required Wm. Carter's Ida Irvin is the by law. As the secretary announced pride of the stables. She trotted in the names, all of those present signnine races last season and won seven ed and were sworn. The secretary of them. She trotted in 2:28 in St. was instructed to call upon the Louis and for one-eighth of a mile stockholders not present, and obtain she flew at a 2:18 gait. She is a their signatures. The president anvery valuable piece of property. Maud C, owned by Carter and order for directors. Messrs Ruloff,

Maddox, is 5 years old and a pretty Hisey, Bassford, Ricketts, Barnes, pacer. She goes in 2:30 whenever Cauthorn, W. A. Morris, Duncan, C. brought down to her work. Hebe, owned by a private party, is insted, and after considerable ballota 2-year old and paces in 2:40. She ing, the following named gentlemen G. Lacy has our thanks for a promises great speed. W. R. Carter were declared the directors: A. C.

drove Hebe on one occasion when Barnes, H. A. Ricketts, J. C. Basshe brought her time down wonder- ford, C. F. Clark and Rufus Hisey. Lan Jones owns a brown gelding the secretary, were adopted. which trots in three minutes without any trouble. Although a green horse

of speed to be brought out. sorrel horse, 16 hands high, which teacher, last Friday evening.

City, have placed with Lacey a bay scholars, and were accompanied by a J. C. V. Baskin has bought the T. gelding which paces in 2:30, named few friends. The day was pleasant B. Buckner residence in South Mexi- John Henry. He gives promise of and after a drive of 45 minutes they being very fast.

> Smuggler, by Charlie Ross, which teacher and scholars. now trots in a three-minute gait. This After a few preliminaries a recess is wonderfully fast for a yearling. of one hour was given during which at \$10,000.

road will probably take water from In addition to the horses under school, which also resulted in favor the Mexico Water-works Co.

Lacey's charge, there are several strings of horses at the fair grounds.

Bob Stanton and Leff Adis have the hospitable patrons of the district light after they do away with their charge of Clark & Potts' stables, and for supper. At about 7 o'clock the The City Council should sell the have been sent from St. Louis and a big spelling match between the two old fire engine and put the money in Chicago to be bred here. Clark & neighborhoods. As near as we could new hose. At least a thousand more feet is needed.

One as fine a saddle stallion as walks.

One as fine a saddle stallion as walks. By special request, Mrs. Hands Their trotting stallion is good enough Hopkins and Charley Householder will sing to-morrow evening, "Way for anybody. They have a fine coach were chosen as judges, and then the Down Upon the Suwance River," stallion and their draft stallion is a fun began. At 9 o'clock a recess was this office, is now secretary in the speak for themselves. In ten years Misses Annie Brown, Lizzie Brown, 3. The Mexico Orchestra has volunteered to assist in the concert and done the public by who have the spelling some excellent to a specific concert and the concert and done the public by who have the spelling some excellent to a specific concert and the conc thus supply string music. This band imported fine stallions 1 1 to Mexico. recitations were rendered by mem- 7.

Fireman's Fund. Robt, M. White, Esq., Chief Mexico Fire De-

MEXICO, Dec. 31 .- DEAR SIR: En- who sails under the sobriquet of closed please find my check for \$5 "Capt.," who has been using himself 15. for the Fire Fund, and also my grate-ful thanks to you and your men for valuable service in my behalf at our of Mexico's citizens as had leisure to recent fire. Yours, Very Truly,

PINCENEY FRENCH.

in "Africa," called out the Fire Department Tuesday last, but by the time water was thrown, the house Christmas is to be pretty generally was about burned down. The house

Two High Flyers From Ghost District. In the Recorder's Court this morn-\$7.50 respectively, for disturbing the peace. They were trying to paint debt.

Holiday Excursion. The Chicago & Alton and Wabash, to all local points at one and one-third divorce. There will be a pound party a fare for the round trip, tickets good

ico, will be married at the Presby-Robert Kendall, aged 21, son of J. terian church in Mexico Tuesday,

county. The bereaved parents have Hair Renewer, will restore its youth- Walton, G. R. Walton, J. Gough, assertment of Xmas presents in Mex- look at their fine line of fur caps, the sympathy of the public.

The use of Hairs vegetate Syouth- Walton, G. R. Walton, J. Gough, assertment of Xmas presents in Mex- look at their fine line of fur caps, ful color and beauty.

J. R. McCowan, P. C. Gosson. dtf ico. Call early while so cheap. 2t. gloves and mitts.

OUR MINING COMPANY.

plied for at Once-Lively

nounced that nominations were in F. Clark and W. F. Reed were nom-

By-laws, as drafted and read by Big Spelling Bee. According to previous arrangements, the Maple Grove school, taught by J. N. Cross, paid a visit to Joe McDonald has a 7-year-old the Dooley school, S. D. Dawson, trots in 2:50 and promises to do The Maple Grove school fell

in line at their school house at 1 Harper & Kimball, of Montgomery o'clock. They numbered about 35 landed at the Dooley school house, C. F. Clark has a yearling, Almont where we were well received by both

The Mexico "Mining and Manu- Clark also has some suckling colts the boys engaged in a game of ball, Clark also has some suckling colts which spin along like they had been trained to trot, showing clearly their breeding.

In addition to the horses under the color of the place, school against the secretary to publish notices in the secretary to publish notices. Harry Parsons, Edwin Kau. Decided in favor of negative. Exercises.—Malissa divined the cause of his nervousness. He was following the troupe, being match took place, school against the papers, and notify the stockholders by postal card, that one-half the amount subscribed was due, was care thoroughly used to the papers. The country to prove the cause of his nervousness. He was following the troupe, being the papers, and notify the stockholders by postal card, that one-half the amount subscribed was due, was care thoroughly used to prove the papers. The country is postal card, that one-half the secretary to publish notices in the secretary to publish notices. Harry Parsons, Edwin Kau. Decided in favor of negative. Exercises.—Malissa Jesse, Lucy Creasey, Julia Sallee, Rosa, Fletcher, Josie Griffin, Lottie Jesse, Chas. they have some beauties, which they house was called to order by Prof. take just pride in exhibiting. Mares Dawson and everything arranged for have as fine a saddle stallion as walks. side. Messrs. B. O. Sims, L. S. daisy. They also have some fine given with about 15 spellers still running stock. We have not the on the floor. The spelling closed at space now to go into the pedigrees of 10 o'clock in favor of Maple Grove, 1. Selections......Orchestra from now the stock of this county Lena Hopkins, Mary Clapper, Mat- 4. Plano duet.... Prof and Mrs. Hands his entire attention. Between the The public is fast learning that it is bers of both schools, and a dialogue 8. Instrumental solo, piano, Miss Geor- and otherwise displayed his impa- for over a month, is still going on with There will be a big turkey shoot at much cheaper in the long run to raise by two little boys belonging to Prof. 19. Thompson next Saturday. One hun- good stock. They don't eat any Dawson's school. After the organizadred big gobblers will hit the earth. more than scrubs. Whether sheep, tion of a literary society the au-

Surber Not a Sorehead. Mexico, Mo., Dec. 21-One Shields. listen to him, took it on himself last S. B. Cook 10 the laws by paying a concert license-his show was for pay, and as clearly

> traveling or negro minstrel A. J. SURBER. New Suits Filed.

within the line of the law as contain-

ed in the ordinance as any other

Chas. Pearson vs. J. M. Coons & Bank of Lewis County, vs. Rollin tirely cured. Yours, &c.

Lee & Mitchell vs. R. B. Worrell. J. W. Ritenour vs. H. F. King.

vs. John W. Atchison, damages. H. F. Hahn & Co., vs. H. E. Miller et al., account.

J. R. Davis, vs. Cora L. Davis, D. P. Allen vs. J. T. Stewart, note. Appeal cases .- J. W. Wisdom vs.

P. C. Skelly, from Probate Court. Mexico last Thursday. We lose a 50 cents a bottle by J. F. Llewellyn. concert at the church Christmas night. Marion Matly vs. Mathew Chan-good citizen and neighbor while

Grand Holiday Ball. There will be a grand Christmas Ball given at Opera House Basement, Friday eve., Dec. 24. Electric light Friday. Robt. Kendall was a young prematurely gray by care, grief, deli-Friday. Robt. Kendall was a young man of unusual promise, and had a host of warm friends all over the host of warm friends all over the continued at the same depressed tone of the vital powers. The use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian door. The managers are—John B.

The use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian door. The managers are—John B.

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Columbia "Blood" Becomes Enam

ored of the Little Actress with the

"Keep It Dark" Company.

A young man, with the bloom of

parently was looking for some one.

DIRECTOR'S DOINGS.

Secretary and Treasurer of the Mining Company Elected-Their Bonds Fixed at \$5,000 and \$10,000 Respectively.

The Board of Directors of the seventeen or eighteen summers on his Mexico Mining and Manufacturing cheek, carrying on his arm a natty Company," met again last evening at light overcoat, and wearing an ele-7 o'clock, at the office of Bassford & gant new silk hat, dropped into the Tucker. The business before the Windsor office yesterday afternoon, Board was the election of a secretary with, or immediately after the "Keep and treasurer, fixing their bonds, etc. it Dark" company. The register The Board was at sea regarding the shows the name of a well-known election of a secretary. This office young blood of Columbia, Mo., and is the most important one in the en- ere he had been in the house ten two little girls. tire organization, and a man was minutes, observing eyes could not wanted to fill it who could give it his help but notice his visit here was not attention. Finally, upon motion of a business one. He walked nervous-Rufus Hisey, Mr. A. C. Barnes was ly about the office, through the balls, elected secretary, with instructions to and occasionally went up to the parpurchase such books and blanks nec- lor. He was ill at ease, and ap-

Upon motion of Rufus Hisey, J. F. Utterly oblivious to his surroundings, Llewellyn was elected treasurer. the blooming young man played pool,

Mr. Ricketts suggested that as all visited the parlor, then played bil-

The secretary and treasurer were petite soubrette, with a pretty face requested to prepare their bonds at and winning manners. Throughout the business of the company. The Boone spooned, and the young lady meeting then adjourned.

PROGRAMME

to Mrs. Hands, at the Opera House the subject of his admiration.

Trio, "Silence," Mrs. Hands and occupied a front seat, and (when the ers. They are our favorites. MIKE.

Rum has Spoiled my Darling," Gentry and LaForce. hogs, cattle or horses, the best breed is the cheapest, in every sense of the more decreased at 10:30, with general good feeling prevailing, we more decreased at 10:30, with general good feeling prevailing, we more decreased at 10:30, with general good feeling prevailing, we may be a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we may be a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we may be a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing, we are to a close, the general good feeling prevailing prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the contract of the general good feeling prevailing to the general good feeling good feeling preva

13. "I'll Take You Home Again, Kath- Columbia canary;" "Here comes the teaching a writing school here. 14. Fan Drill-Grand maren, songs and Columbia causry," etc. But, not- J. K. Crow, who has been suffering for

Mexico Mining and Manufacturing company adjourned to the Windsor countles for a week past. night to call certain people sorcheads Company who have not signed and after everything was "packed," and The A. O. U. W. Lodge is arranging for The fund now stands as follows: who, in the discharge of their duties, acknowledged the articles of incor- "Ah-There, The Dude," spent two a big supper one night during the holl-amount subscribed, are hereby noti- a carriage, and in company with the spring opens. Then we will boom. Uniforms, &c., cannot be purchased good as Shields' pay license for the cent of the subscriptions paid at once prominent politician of Columbia, the meeting here. same thing he paid for, nothing more, in order that the articles of incorporigot wind of the affair, and telegraphnothing less. The same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that ation may be presented to the Secred by sent of the same measure that at the same measure that the same measure that at the same measure that at the same measure that at the same measure that the same measure that at the same measure that at the same measure that at the same meas By order of the Board. to every other traveling minstrel, and By order of the Board.

117d2t&w37lt A. C. Barnes, Sec'y. treaties of a friend, finally induced likely continue over Xmas.

WESTFIELD, Mass, Feb. 18, 1882 his papa, the Wabash this afternoon Mitchells' goods. about five years ago I had a very without any relief, until I was advis- "blood" became interested in the Uncle Cepas Broadberry is laid up with ed by Mr.. Whitney, druggist of young ladies but "Ah-There, the rheumatism Gouverneur, N. Y., to try your Cher- Dude, was the only one with the physicians in Mexico. ry Pectorial, which I did, and before real nerve. An effort was made to

The firms of Drs. Rodes & Walker Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse who are indebted to the same to call unendurable and would sometimes during the day. at my office and settle. Those who almost throw him into convulsion. He The Farmers' meeting was well attendhave failed to do so will call and set- tried Electric Bitters and got relief ed and much interest taken in it. tle at once and save cost. W. A. Edmonston.

R. P. Hopkins. From the Sturgeon Leader.

R. P. Hopkins and family left for afforded by Electric bitters. Sold at Mexico gains one. The best wishes of the community follow them. Rather Early.

From the Shelbina (Mo.) Torchlight,

together with the amount paid, is as follows: P. S. Baker, loss on drug stock; insured in the Commercial Union. J. H. Haydon, agent, received \$2,796. U. Weimer, loss on cigar and tobacco stock, insured in the Norwich

Union, with Bassford & Tucker and

The Losses at the Recent Fire About

The losses occasioned by the recent

fire in Hardin Block are neatly all

settled. The companies involved,

Settled-The Companies Involved.

the Springfield, with Kilgore & Howell, received \$800 for damage by smoke and water. J. W. McKinley, loss on bakery stock; insured in the Fire Association with Joe Offutt, and Nisgara, with

Kilgore & Howell, received \$240, which will about cover damage. M. Pilcher, loss on building; in sured in the Merchants, with Bassford & Tucker, and the Springfield, with

Kilgore & Howell, received \$350. French & Nichols, loss on office fixtures, etc., insured in the Oakland Home, with Bassford & Tucker, received \$120.

HAPPY HOLLOW ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger. HAPPY HOLLOW, Dec. 20 .- Miss Be

Clem is very sick. Mrs. T. A. Davis left last week to spend the winter with her mother in Kasota, Minnesota.

We are told that four weddings are booked for the holidays. Elmer Wiseman, son of Major Harvey Wiseman, is here from Fremont, Ohio.

Harry Parsons will leave for his old home in Kentucky this week. There was a singing jubilee at Mr. Griffin's Saturday night, which was very enjoyable affair. Your Pleasant Grove corresponder

"Us" is unwell. He should take some thing or cease being so "cross." Wood Matthews raised a pumpkin this year so large that he cut it open and made a cradle out of each half for hi

says we are selfish. We rather think not.

Christmas tree at Cedar Grove and Prairie View next Friday evening. We don't see why Jesse School House can't

Prof. John Vanderford is running a photograph gallery. Boys, take your best girl there and get a tin-type. John Cogswell lost a valuable horse last week. Cause: The horse ran up against a freight train and had his breath cut off. We once more had the pleasure of

being present at Jesse School House last the officers had been elected the liards, arranged his toilet, and with- Friday evening. As we have said before, amount of their bonds should be out any apparent business on hand, this school is one of the most progressive amount of the secretary's bond was supper time came, he seemed reliev- was: Resolved, That nature is more placed at \$5,000, and the treasurer's ed. He made a rush for the dining J. R. Jesse, Ed. Rodhouse, Cecil Griffin, room, finding a seat near the "Keep Negative, Meredith Armistead, J. Frank

members, Miss Pearl Jackson, a Laura Ware, Joe Creasey, Major Ware. All had fine productions. John Ware once, so there would be no delay in the supper hour the young man from got to the front with his pauts story. Better order should be kept. If the sergeant-at-arms can't keep order he spooned with him; in fact, people should hire a bouncer. More light is said such a case of "spoons" had nev- needed. Some of the boys wore Capt. er been seen at the hotel before. Shields' red ribbon. Joe Creasey and young gentleman by this time had no makes a "centennial" speech, while Following is the programme to be ren- ticed he was the object of all eyes, Harry Howe catches the girls. "Mary" dered at the entertainment, complimentary and reluctantly left the room and Armistead goes to the front with a hop. jump and a yell. Lots of babies pres-He took her to the Opera House ent. Lots of love-making during recess. Society adjourned until January 7th. and when the curtain arose later in Misses Alma Howe, Kittie Fletcher and

FARRER FLASHES.

acts he walked up and down the Correspondence of the Ledger. Selections......Orcnestra aisles, stroked his tiny moustache. FARBER, Dec. 21.—The protracted meeting which has been in progress here tience. When the object of his affec- about 45 additions to the church, Elder

tion came on the stage, he was at Beauchamp at the helm. esse, but during that time only. Dick Biggs, Jr., who has been confined Recitation Miss Lena Woodlan When the play came to a close, the to his bed for the past month, of tyyhoid

around behind the scenes, the stage and will be ready for school by Jan. 1st. "Marguerite," Miss Leona Williams people greeting him with "Hey there, Prof. Thomas Hughlett is at present

Selections......Orchestra the "capary" was enjoying himself the "capary" w will be out for a long time yet. for all he was worth, being in the G. B. Gray and Sut Turpin have All subscribers to the stock of the company of his adored Pearlie. The visiting relatives in Ralls and Marion Governor can be had to bring him men chosen are as follows:

not paid the 50 per cent. of the morning, our young friend engaged two brick store rooms erected as soon as corn. It was sold at an average of \$90

The telegram, togother with the en- has been going on for over four weeks will him to drop the troupe, and return to assisting in the auction sale of Stevens &

-Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.—Gentlemen: carrying him out of the city. We Robey, our popular druggist, has made bad cough and tried several remedies understand more than one Columbia arrangements for a partner in the firm.

F. Draper is having his eyes treated by

LADDONIA LACONICS.

"Keep it Dark," but without success.

at the colored Methodist church in auction.

this city last night, for the benefit of

Lapponia, Dec. 21.-The dinner and and Macfarlane & Rodes have placed Cave, Ky, says he was, for many suppergiven by the "Aid Society" for their accounts in my hands for col- years, badly afflicted with Phthisic, the Christian church last Wednesday was attend the reunion of her school at State relations of J. W. Stevens, lection and I have notified all persons also Diabetes; the pains were almost a success. They fed about eighty people Locust Lawn, near New Bloomfield, Cal-

> from first bettle and after taking six | Revs. Love and Boyd have just closed bottles, was entirely cured, and had a series of meetings here. he positively believes he would have goods will commence this evening and died, had it not been for the relief continue through the week gained in flesh eighteen pounds. Says | The auction of Stevens & Mitchell's

died, had it not been for the relief continue through the week. The Baptist Sunday School will give A Christmas ship is talked of at the Shields opened a series of lectures The town is full of people attending the Union, Dec. 22—Health of community from the "Kingdom" of Callaway.

the colored people. Quite a large Gen. Casius M. Clay, of Kentucky, audience was present, out of which

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Drugs. Paints.

the holidays. The points are: Rab-

MARTINSBURG MUSINGS.

MARTINSBURG, Dec. 20 .- Rev. M. L.

Gray held services at the Methodist

Mrs. Sue Ensler, of Wellsville, visited

Misses Alma Crigler and Ada Over-

baugh visited Mexico Friday and return-

Clarence Buell spent Sunday here.

The daily shipment of game and poul-

A mission was begun to-day at the

church Saturday night and Sunday.

relatives here Sunday.

ed Sunday.



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RUSH HILL, Dec.22 .- Mr. James Robertson, who skipped from here a few weeks ago with a team, wagosand har- prise that starts. On last Friday night withstanding these jocular remarks, some time of spinal disease, is some bet-Palmyra, Ill., and was lodged in jail at tains; they chose 10 men each, and one sippi. been Carlinville until a requsition from the to hunt for oysters during Xmas. The

> Efforts are being made to start a broom factory here. There has been, within the last few weeks, shipped from morton, Goe. Throckmorton, Frank It is now understood that we will have here to Chicago, 43 1-2 tons of broom per ton, netting the producers \$3.915.

> > opened a coal bank 2 1-2 miles west of hunt has not yet been settled up to this town. The quality of the coal is good writing, but will be some time during and they report the vein between 3 and

will leave soon with his family for Kansas. The last we heard of the doctor
and his party, they were in the extreme

and his party, has returned. He was unanimous the best coughs, colds, pains in the cures coughs, colds, pains in the cure coughs, colds, pains in the debate chest, Bronchitis and Primary constant the party of the cure coughs, colds, pains in the cur Western party of Kansas, hooping up ly made an honorary member of the the gray team, headed to the far Wes The ladies of the town and vicinity are making a united effort to raise money to pay off a debt on the church. A sociable and supper will be given at the church New Year's eve, for the purpose. Come and give the ladies your haerty support; they will give you the worth of your money, and you will be

laway county, where she taught three Friday, at his father's, three miles north of town, Robert Rendall, a high-

contributing to a good cause.

Miss Laura Clark will, on Dec. 28th

UNION ITEMS.

ANNIE LAURIE. | good. Hogs selling at \$1 per hundred and Catholic Church by Rev. Father Haar and

McKinley is open and booming at The paperedited and read by George The long-expected newspaper made its for collection. All persons knowing the old stand. His bread is better Green at the debate last Friday night appearance to-day under the cognomen themselves indebted to the same will than ever. He is selling candies and was pronounced splendid. There were of the Martinsburger, and is a cheerful, call at my office and settle at ence. other goods that went through the several visitors present from other sofire at less than cost. dl16-tf cieties at our last meeting. Union amount of advertising matter and a review

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will entertain a host of friends during Captain, Joe. Crews-Joe. Brothers, the holidays. Pete Crum, G. O. McGee, J. W. Stewart, Logan Taylor, a prominent young so-W. G. Byrns, Bob. Throckmorton, John night in the city, a guest at the Windsor. Frank C. Ringo, Kansas City's famous base ball catcher, is in the city in the in-

4 feet thick.

Hiram Greer, who went West with
Dr. Vance and party, has returned. He

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placed their accounts in my bands

Col. Green Clay is home from Missis-

B. S. Hite is home for Christmas an

each bring a cake. The time for the terest of a large clear firm of that city. Health is wealth. Wealth means independence. The keynote is Dr.

> All persons knowing themselves and January 1st., and save costs of collection. You will oblige me by attending to this matter as soon as pos-

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